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Dear

This is a final response to your 28 September 2008 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request received in the office of the Information and Privacy Coordinator on 16 October 2008, for:

1. **Information or records on the demobilization of the following organizations in El Salvador: the Fuerzas Armadas de El Salvador, the Farabundo Martí National Liberation Front, and the paramilitaries of the Nationalist Republican Alliance.**

2. **Information on the incidence of crime and narcotics related activities in El Salvador and Central America between 1992 and 2007.**

We have assigned your request the reference number above. Please use this number when corresponding so that we can identify it easily.

The Agency cannot accept your FOIA request, in its current form, because it would require the Agency to perform an unreasonably burdensome search. The FOIA requires requesters to "reasonably described" the information they seek so that professional employees familiar with the subject matter can locate responsive information with a reasonable amount of effort. Because of the breadth and lack of specificity of your request, and the way in which the Agency configures its records systems, the Agency cannot conduct a reasonable search for information responsive to your request. We encourage you to refine the scope of your request (such as a narrower, more specific descriptions of, the information you seek) to enable the Agency to conduct a reasonable search for responsive information.

Sincerely,

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